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CLEARMONT AND VICINITY SEEN

CHAPTER II IN SECOND COUNTY TRAVELOGUE.

MANY BRIDGES NEED REPAIRS VERY MUCH

Atchison Township's Little Town Doing Its Share in Nodaway's Building Operations.

(By Vernon Nash)

It was the hottest day of the summer as we rattled across the three bridges over the two branches of the 102 river and the drainage ditch west of Hopkins on our "tour" of the northwestern part of the county.

In passing let it be said that every one by this time should be converted to the proposition of drainage ditches. They certainly take the high water off in great shape and mean good crops almost every year. The dredge boat is now near the Fride bridge near the Ernest Wray farm, and the bridge will soon be removed for the boat to pass under.

The present drainage district ends at the Carr bridge. It is probable that another district will be formed to carry on the work south. If it isn't done the two channels make trouble for the undrained district in high water. It is pointed out by the farmers in that section that it would be more convenient and economical to let the boat continue south with its work when the present district is finished.

As we went up the hill out of the bottom, we passed a new home on the corner of George Castle's farm, which was built this spring for a newly married son. We noted a new garage in the yard of George Edwards a few miles farther on. It is a city-style auto house, a rather common sight on Nodaway county farms.

Signboards Are Great Help.

If the county ever gets all its bridges and roads built and has some extra cash on hand, a number of good signposts at prominent corners would be a fine public service. We noted several of these pointers where the Red Line crosses the Clearmont-Hopkins highway and they are a great help both as indicating the route and telling how much farther on the destination is.

The road from Hopkins to Clearmont is an attractive one to travel. It does not follow square and rectangular section lines but winds around hills and goes off at diagonals in a romantic way, if one is fortunate enough to have any romanticism in his system. It is marred slightly, however, by several rocky hills. They are not bad. Dozens of counties in the state would not even call them rocky, but compared with other Nodaway county hills they are too stony.

Two bad bridges are between the homes of Ed Andrews and Jake Cox. One has a hard bump from the road up to the bridge on the east side. The west approach of the other culvert has a hole washed in each side. We were almost candidates for the ambulance or the undertaker as we dodged to one side to avoid the one which could be seen.

The hole on the south side of the grade was hidden by weeds and as our front wheel struck it we went "clanking" off down the bank while I wished that I had \$5,000 more life and accident insurance. A second thrilling experience of the day was hitting a V-shaped bump at the foot of a hill. The Ford leaped six or eight feet like a hurdler but kept to the middle of the road.

Found Several Men Ill.

We found three men between Hopkins and Clearmont very ill. S. C. Ramsey is suffering from rheumatism. I. S. Linebaugh is seriously ill from both rheumatism and dropsy. He was some better Tuesday. George Castle is suffering with abscess of the liver.

Charles Brandt is working upon the improvement of his place. He has not finished the grading up of his yard (Continued on page 2.)

I will be out of town from July 18 to the 30th and my office will be closed.

JESSE MILLER



HON. CHAS. F. BOOHER

TO THE DEMOCRATS OF THE FOURTH DISTRICT:

I had hoped—and still hope—to return to the Fourth District before the August primary and meet the Democracy of Andrew, Atchison, Buchanan, Holt, Nodaway and Platte counties, but I would be unfaithful to the trust that you have reposed in me to now desert the post to which through your generous confidence you have assigned me, and return to your counties to enter in a campaign for the renomination which I desire at your hands. I have always trusted the Democrats of the great Platte Purchase and they in turn have trusted me and have further honored me by successive nominations and elections, for which I thank them from the bottom of a grateful heart. I have never as yet, as you well know, deserted the post of duty to which you have delegated me to return home to look after my chances for re-election and as long as you keep me here, I never will.

Especially will I not return home at this most critical time when every member of Congress is needed in his seat, and when no man can tell a day in advance what may develop. My post is here, where you sent me, and, until the situation clears up, I must remain here.

It is a laudable ambition on the part of any man to desire to serve his country in Congress if prompted in that desire by patriotic motives, and therefore I have no sort of criticism to make of those who have entered the race against me, but after all it is not a question of what they or I want but it is a question of what the people of the district believe will be best for them and the country at large. In the present crisis, the greatest in our history, I do not hesitate to say that if ever there was a time when men of experience were needed in the councils of the nation it is now. The good people of the Fourth District have kept me here until I have become familiar with the duties of the position and in touch with the great questions now confronting the nation, and I cannot help but feel that I am better able to serve you now than I ever was before, and to better advantage than any new man.

No matter what the result, I shall be content with your verdict rendered at the primary August 1. If in your wisdom you think I should continue to serve you for another term, I promise to give you in the future, as I have in the past, the benefit of all my time and whatever ability I possess. If you feel that under the trying and peculiar conditions that I can serve the district better than any new man I will appreciate your support.

I want to again assure you of my deep gratitude for your generous support in the past and trusting that I may again have the same, I beg to remain,

Very sincerely,

Charles F. Booher

TWO MORE JUDGES RUMORED TO BE AT ST. MARY'S TUES.

Victor Dowling and J. N. Clark Reported Slated for Supreme Bench.

Special to The Democrat-Forum. Washington, July 13.—It is authoritatively stated in official circles that either Judge Victor Dowling of New York or Judge J. N. Clark of Cleveland will be nominated by the President to succeed Charles E. Hughes on the supreme court bench.

FOUR DIE IN DU PONT EXPLOSION

New Jersey Plant at Haskell Has a Disaster.

Special to The Democrat-Forum. Midvale, N. J., July 13.—Four men are reported killed in an explosion in the DuPont powder works at Haskell near here today.

SHRINERS TO MINNEAPOLIS NEXT.

Imperial Convention at Buffalo Chooses Minnesota City.

Special to The Democrat-Forum. Buffalo, July 13.—The Imperial convention of Shriners today chose Minneapolis for the holding of the 1917 meeting.

Auto Accident Near Graham.

A Mr. Brumbaugh and Mr. Fletcher of Rulo, Neb., were injured in an auto accident yesterday near Graham, when their car turned over. The accident occurred on the Buie hill.

Father Patrick and "Billy" Whalan, Conception College Student, to Address Forerunners.

Father Patrick of Conception and "Billy" Whalan, who is attending Conception college, will speak at St. Mary's church in this city on Tuesday evening, July 18. These lectures are under the auspices of the Catholic Order of Forerunners, and are free.

Mr. Whalan is a young man of about 20 and came to this country from Tipperary, Ireland. He walked from New York City to Kansas City and his first train ride in this country was from Kansas City to Conception. He was well pleased with the college there and enrolled as a student.

ERWIN GILL MAY DIE

Higgins, Tex., Fan Hit Over Head With Sledge Hammer—Formerly Lived in Nodaway County.

Erwin Gill of Higgins, Tex., is lying unconscious and in a dangerous condition in his home town as the result of being hit over the head with a sledge hammer by a man named Herbert Hall of the same place. He is in a critical condition.

This information was contained in a letter to Judge W. C. Ellison by Robert A. Combs, who formerly lived near Grant City. J. E. O'Neal of this city is an uncle of Mr. Gill, and Mrs. Joseph Yeager living between Maryville and Skidmore is a sister.

CHAUTAUQUA TIMES

FIVE TOWNS IN COUNTY TO OFFER PROGRAMS.

PICKERING TO LEAD OFF

Maryville, August 3-9; Hopkins, August 22-26; Skidmore, August 9-15, and Burlington Junction, August 23-27.

Chautauqua time is almost here and soon the voices of Bill Bryan and the yodlers will be heard in the land. Pickering will be the leader as their session begins a week from Sunday and will continue from July 23 to 28. Maryville, Burlington Junction, Hopkins and Skidmore are the other Nodaway towns who will offer programs. The other dates are:

Maryville—August 3-9.
Skidmore—August 9-15.
Hopkins—August 22-26.

Burlington Junction—August 23-27.

The Redpath-Vawter system has issued a large and special souvenir program in honor of their tenth anniversary. Besides having the talent arranged and exploited in a most attractive way, the folder contains a page concerning Maryville and Nodaway county.

A picture of the Normal is shown and the names of the signers of the guarantee is given. A history of the circuit for the ten years is given. The programs will be well worth preserving.

The biggest attraction of all the programs will be William Bryan, who will speak at Skidmore. All of the programs are up to the usual excellence of Nodaway county chautauquas.

The following committees have charge of the arrangements for the Pickering program:

Grounds—C. A. Wolfers, H. M. Lincoln and S. W. Jones.

Lights—W. C. Smith, W. M. Hall and Ed Herbert.

Music—R. H. Wolfers and Dr. J. R. Heryford.

Advertising—P. M. Wallis, C. G. McMillen and J. H. Porterfield.

Ticket Sale—J. C. Shuff and Roland Wray.

The Pickering program follows:

Sunday, July 23.

Afternoon—
Opening Concert—Lynn Trio.

Evening—
Grand Entertainment, vocal and instrumental—Lynn Trio.

Monday, July 24.

Afternoon—
Choice Readings and Impersonations—Olive Rusk.

Evening—
Address—Dr. Frank C. Fay.

Tuesday, July 25.

Afternoon—
Violin and Piano Recital—Ferguson and Powers.

Evening—
Lecture—Francis M. Leaman.

Wednesday, July 26.

Afternoon—
An Evening With O. Henry—Francis M. Leaman.

Evening—
Choice Music for Everyone—Jones College Ladies Quartet.

Thursday, July 27.

Afternoon—
Musical Program—Weatherly Concert Co.

Evening—
Lecture—Dr. Sudhindra Bose.

Friday, July 28.

Afternoon—
Music and Readings—The Ruth Runner Co.

Evening—
Thrilling Speech—"If I Were a Woman"—Dr. Bruce Brown.

Saturday, July 29.

Afternoon—
Popular Concert—The Ruth Runner Co.

Evening—
Lecture—"The Pot of Gold at the Foot of the Rainbow"—Dr. Bruce Brown.

Sunday, July 30.

Afternoon—
Lecture—"The Pot of Gold at the Foot of the Rainbow"—Dr. Bruce Brown.

Evening—
Lecture—"The Pot of Gold at the Foot of the Rainbow"—Dr. Bruce Brown.

Monday, August 1.

Afternoon—
Lecture—"The Pot of Gold at the Foot of the Rainbow"—Dr. Bruce Brown.

Evening—
Lecture—"The Pot of Gold at the Foot of the Rainbow"—Dr. Bruce Brown.

Tuesday, August 2.

Afternoon—
Lecture—"The Pot of Gold at the Foot of the Rainbow"—Dr. Bruce Brown.

Evening—
Lecture—"The Pot of Gold at the Foot of the Rainbow"—Dr. Bruce Brown.

Wednesday, August 3.

Afternoon—
Lecture—"The Pot of Gold at the Foot of the Rainbow"—Dr. Bruce Brown.

Evening—
Lecture—"The Pot of Gold at the Foot of the Rainbow"—Dr. Bruce Brown.

LOOKS LIKE A BAD YEAR FOR WHISKERS.



—DeMar in Philadelphia Record.

MRS. HAHN IS DEAD PERSHING HOPEFUL

WOMAN OF 82 HAD MANY DESCENDANTS.

WAS BORN IN ENGLAND BUT VILLA IS WINNING

Ten Children, 39 Grandchildren, 36 Great-grandchildren and 1 Great-great-grandchild Survive.

Mrs. Mary Loveridge Hahn, 82 years old, died at the home of her son, M. A. Hahn, on North Dewey street, at 7 o'clock this morning. Her death was caused by paralysis. She will be buried at 1 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

Short funeral services will be held at the residence of M. A. Hahn and will be conducted by Elder Moore of the Primitive Baptist church, Clarkesdale. The body will then be taken to Orrsburg, where funeral services will be held at the Orrsburg church. Interment will be made in the Orrsburg cemetery.

Mrs. Hahn was born in Somersetshire, near Taunton, England. She came with her parents to New York when 4 years old. She was married to Moses Hahn in 1851, and together they came to Nodaway county. They have lived in the county thirty-seven years and in the vicinity of Maryville for about twenty years. Her husband died fourteen years ago.

She leaves ten children, thirty-nine grandchildren, thirty-six great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandchild. Her children are: Mrs. Abigail Cummings, British Columbia; Mrs. Albert Melton, Valentine, Neb.; O. W. Hahn, Lincoln, Neb.; Mrs. A. D. Simmons, St. Joseph; Mrs. Emily Simmons, Greenbush, Ill.; Mrs. J. C. Simmons, Orrsburg; Mrs. Lucetta Carmichael, Maryville; Mrs. Henry L. Foster, Maryville; Mrs. J. A. Mapes, Havre, Mont.; and M. A. Hahn of Maryville. Two brothers also survive her. They are Newton Loveridge of Weston, Ore., and Albert Loveridge of California.

Five of the children, Mrs. J. C. Simmons, Mrs. A. D. Simmons, Mrs. Mapes, Mrs. Carmichael and Moses Hahn are in Maryville to attend the funeral of O. W. Hahn of Lincoln will arrive tomorrow morning.

24 MORE INFANTS DIE

One Death an Hour in New York City—Seven More Than Yesterday.

Special to The Democrat-Forum. New York, July 13.—Twenty-four deaths from infantile paralysis was the official record of the last twenty-four hours. This is an increase of seven deaths over yesterday.

No Band Concert Tonight.

On account of the inclement weather the weekly band concert will not be given until tomorrow night.

REPORTS MUCH BETTER FEELING AMONG MEXICANS NOW.

BUT VILLA IS WINNING

Every Report to El Paso Tells of Defeat for Carranza Troops—Asserts He'll Be Dictator.

Special to The Democrat-Forum. Washington, July 13.—General Pershing in a dispatch to the war department today indicated that it was doubtful whether he will be able to keep his line of communications with the United States open much longer.

He is making an investigation to see whether the heavy rains will not force him to shorten his line even more and to draw the expedition closer to the border.

His dispatch reports better feeling between the American and Mexican troops and it is his belief that all troubles have been amicably settled.

Villa Dictator in Thirty Days.

El Paso, July 13.—Every report which reaches El Paso from points along the border during the last twenty-four hours indicates that Villa has been successful in all engagements with Carranza forces since the recent activity began. Villa is asserting that he will be a Mexican dictator in thirty days.

FOURTEEN OF SEVENTEEN GUILTY

Labor Men in Chicago Convicted of Conspiracy.

Special to The Democrat-Forum. Chicago, July 13.—Fourteen of the seventeen labor leaders on trial for conspiracy here were found guilty today.

HURRAH! CHEAP MELONS HERE

Carload of Georgia Product Received by Merchants Today

A carload of fine Georgia watermelons was received today and distributed among the dealers of Maryville. They are of fine quality, having been picked ripe, and what is still nicer, the price is coming down within reach of moderate pocketbooks.

INTEREST CENTERS NEAR KOVEL NOW

GERMANS' DETERMINED RESISTANCE CONTINUES STRONG.

SITUATION ON SOMME IS UNCHANGED TODAY

Violent Battle at Fort Souville in Verdun Front as Germans Disregard Enormous Loss of Life.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Petrograd, July 13.—In an effort to save Kovell, the Germans are making a decided stand along the Stokhod River where every available reserve has been massed in a determined resistance. Enormous masses are being concentrated at the river crossings.

In the Janowitz district, the fighting has been especially violent and the fighting of the Russians has been characterized by great gallantry. The official report says that the Germans are being driven back with great losses.

Using Fresh Regiments at Verdun.

Paris, July 13.—Fresh regiments are being used by the Germans on the Verdun front and are being hurled at the French forts with an utter disregard for the enormous loss of life. The Teuton forces operating east of the Meuse opened a direct bombardment with terrific power against Fort Souville, one of the chief defensive works on the northeast of Verdun.

Bank of England Raises Rate.

London, July 13.—The Bank of England raised its rate today from 5 to 6 per cent. This is the first change in the bank's arrangement since 1914.

Very Active in Macedonia.

Saloniki, July 13.—Patrols on both sides of the Macedonian frontier were very active Wednesday, according to the official communique issued at the headquarters of the Allies. An intense bombardment was directed at the center.

Only Heavy Artillery on Somme

London, July 13.—Only heavy artillery is reported on the Somme in official statements issued today. No material change in positions have been made over night. Both sides are under heavy shell fire.

Eighteen Bulgarian Regiments Mutiny

Bucharest, July 13.—Eighteen Bulgarian regiments are reported to have mutinied and to have killed their German officers.

DIDN'T LEAVE RED LANTERN.

Dangerous Place on Lincoln Street in South Maryville.

Autos coming in from the southeast last night ran into a bad place on Lincoln street two blocks after turning east out of Lovers Lane. Some grading is being done and the earth is thrown up in impassable shape. A plow was sitting in the middle of the street last night. This is the main street usually followed. Yet no red light served as a warning and many motorists had to make a sudden turn into a side street to avoid an upset.

Has a Good Wheat Crop.

Judge Herndon of Parnell finished cutting his wheat last week and says most of the farmers in his vicinity are through cutting. The crop is said to be very good this year.

THE WEATHER

Generally fair and continued warm tonight and Friday.

Feature Tonight Feature
Paramount Picture Co. Presents

Fannie Ward the International Famous Star in

THE CHEAT

A Jesse L. Lasky Production Produced by Cecil B. De Mille

EMPIRE THEATRE

5c and 10c.

5c and 10c.

Our Great July Clearing Sale

Is Saving Hundreds of People Money, Are You One of Them?

More Bargains for Friday and Saturday's Selling

SHEETINGS AND MUSLINS

Hope Muslin, per yard.....8c
Daisy Muslin 36-inches wide, full bleached, advertised by the city stores at 15c, our price only.....10c
8-4 Pepperell Bleached Sheeting.....25c
9-4 Pepperell Bleached Sheeting.....27c
10-4 Pepperell Bleached Sheeting.....29c

35c WASH GOODS 16c

One lot Summer Wash Dress Goods, 40 inches wide regular 25c and 35c qualities, only per yard.....16c

DRESSES

One lot of Ladies' and Children's now only.....98c
One lot of Ladies' Silk Dresses, now exactly 1/2 price
One lot of Summer Wash Dresses worth \$6.75 to \$7.50 now only.....\$4.98

HOUSE DRESSES

Your choice of any House Dress in the store now at.....1-5 off

SUITS

We have only a few Wool Suits left and they are all worth regular \$25.00 to \$35.00. Special prices now only.....\$9.95
All Palm Beach and Silverbloom Suits exactly 1/2 price

32-inch GINGHAM 8c

One small lot of 32-inch Dress Gingham we are anxious to close out at, only per yard.....8c

MUSLIN UNDERWEAR

All Ladies Muslin Underwear now at.....1-5 off

SKIRTS

All White Wash Skirts now at.....1/4 off
One lot Wool Skirts worth \$6.75 to \$7.75 now only.....\$5.75
Black Taffeta Silk Skirts, a great bargain at \$8.75

WAISTS

This is the Waist Store of Nodaway county—Always a large assortment of waists on hands—Good quality White Jap Silk Waists, each only.....79c
Habutai Striped Silk Waists, each only.....\$1.98
Beautiful range of styles in Georgette and Crepe de Chine Waists, just arrived at.....\$5.00 to \$7.50

CRETONNES

One lot 69c Cretonnes will be closed out now at per yard.....42c

Haines

THE STORE QUALITY AND LOW PRICES BUILT

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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

We are authorized to announce the candidacy of J. W. McKnight of King City for state senator from the first senatorial district, subject to the action of the Democratic voters in the primary election to be held the first Tuesday in August, 1916.

We are authorized to announce the candidacy of Robert I. Young of St. Joseph for representative in congress from the fourth congressional district, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, August 1.

We are authorized to announce the candidacy of James H. Hull of Platte City for representative in congress from the fourth congressional district, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, August 1.

For Treasurer.

We are hereby authorized to announce the candidacy of Tom Wallace for treasurer, subject to the action of the Primary, August 1.

We are hereby authorized to announce the candidacy of James Blagg for treasurer, subject to the action of the primary, August 1.

For Sheriff.

We are authorized to announce the candidacy of E. C. Moberly for the Democratic nomination for sheriff of

Nodaway county, subject to the action of the primary held August 1.

We are authorized to announce the candidacy of John F. Dowden for the republican nomination for sheriff, subject to the action of the primary on August 1.

We are authorized to announce the candidacy of Gabe Purcell for the Democratic nomination for sheriff of Nodaway county, subject to the action of the primary, August 1.

We are authorized to announce the candidacy of W. A. Burks for sheriff of Nodaway county, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, August 1.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

To the Democratic voters of the first senatorial district of Missouri: Since announcing my candidacy for senator on the Democratic ticket from this district, I have been called with the national guard of this state into the country's service by President Wilson.

I am rendering this service willingly because it is the duty that every good citizen should be glad and willing to perform. I cannot say how long I will be away. I feel, however, that we will return to our home station before election, and certainly before the next legislative meets.

I must trust my candidacy to my friends and the Democratic voters of the district, and I pledge to them that if they nominate and elect me to this important position, that I shall be glad to render the same prompt service to their interests in the state that I am now rendering to our country.

W. R. LITTELL.

Capt. 4th Mo. Infantry, Candidate for State Senator.

HAS NEW ROASTING EARS

O. C. Hanna Probably First to Enjoy Corn on the Cob.

O. C. Hanna probably gets the credit for the first one to enjoy playing a tune upon a roasting ear Frenchharp. He had the new corn on the cob yesterday for dinner.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

Grand Father Never Knew

But what he could see just as well as most other people—he had no one to go to to find out. Had he lived in this day and age we could have helped him enjoy his declining years in comfort. We can help you.

H. L. Raines
H. L. RAINES
110 N. 3RD ST. JUST A STEP EAST MAIN
MARYVILLE MO.

CLEARMONT AND VICINITY SEEN

(Continued from page 1.)

around the large home which he built last summer. We found his uncle, L. C. Legrand, and Mrs. Legrand spending the day with the Brandts. Mr. Brandt has a fine field of corn just back of the house.

Edgar Pence, one of the Clearmont auctioneers, has an exceptionally pretty home a mile northeast of Clearmont. John A. Burch has a nice bunch of young calves in a field near his home just outside town also. A few minutes later we were in Clearmont and were parking the car in the middle of the street as is the custom there.

Clearmont Has Share of Building. Clearmont has had its share of the building operations of Nodaway county this year. A new band stand adorns one of the corners in the business section. W. T. Humphrey, the hardware man, is excavating for the foundation and basement of a new home, having moved the old house across the street. He is remodeling the old home for rental purposes.

Howard Garrett is building two cottages in the south part of town for renting. R. F. Hanna, one of the bankers, has just finished a new bungalow. We visited the office of the Clearmont News and found A. P. Skeed, the editor, deep in the remodeling of the office. The interior is being finished in beaver board.

A drive over the town showed us that Clearmont holds her own with the rest of the county in the matter of pretty homes. The city seythe should be used on some of the weeds in the streets, however. A signboard should be placed at the fork in the road west of town also to tell travelers the best road to Elmo.

We chose the route which leads up the shady winding bluff past the home of Judge E. T. Bailey, member of the county court from the north district. Abutments are all in for a large bridge just below the McIntyre home west of the judge's. Vehicles are crossing on a temporary structure above the new concrete work.

Before leaving Atchison township we might add that John D. Tollenaar, editor of the Braddyville Enterprise, has been exhausting all his editorial ammunition in an effort to get two bridges repaired leading into his home town which is just across the line in Iowa.

Two Bridges in Bad Shape. According to his account, both are on main roads. One has a hole about three feet in circumference in it and the boards are dangerously loose. It is often necessary on the other for the persons crossing to get out and replace the boards along the stringers. Even then it acts like a cradle, according to Mr. Tollenaar.

One other thing is noteworthy be-

fore we get to the metropolis of Lincoln township. A. R. Bradley has an entry for the prettiest home in the county with his lawn and cottage about a mile southeast of Elmo.

Tomorrow the second travelogue will be closed with an account of our visit to Elmo, Possum Walk, Dawson and back through Burlington Junction to Maryville. As the motion picture operator might say, "just a day, please," while we are getting out the rest of the paper for today.

A MARYVILLE MAN'S EXPERIENCE

Can You Doubt the Evidence of This Maryville Citizen?

You can verify Maryville indorsement.

Read this: J. N. Bryan, retired farmer, 222 Eleventh street, Maryville, says: "At one time I was having trouble from my back and kidneys. I had an intense soreness just through the small of my back which gave me great pain when I tried to bend over or straighten up quickly. My kidneys acted so frequently that it weakened me. I saw Doan's Kidney Pills advertised and bought some from Love & Gaugh's drug store. Right from the first I found relief and as I continued using them I was entirely relieved of that trouble. It has been quite awhile now since I have needed to use Doan's Kidney Pills so I know the benefit is lasting."

50c, at all dealers. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfgs., Buffalo, N. Y.

IOWA DEMOCRATS "DRY"

STATE CONVENTION INDORSES PROHIBITION.

Views of Candidate for Governor E. T. Meredith Are Favored—Good Roads Promised.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Des Moines, Iowa, July 13.—Iowa Democrats in convention here today for the first time in the memory of any of the leaders present went on record in the state platform as favoring prohibition.

The report of the resolutions committee adopted by the convention indorsed the views of H. T. Meredith, gubernatorial candidate, and an announced dry, and went on record in favor of the resubmission to the people of the state of the constitutional amendment providing for statewide prohibition.

The platform indorsed the Wilson administration, favored amendment of the primary law, workmen's compensation, good roads and economy in administration of the business of the state.

Just Supposin'.

"Will you be my wife?"
"You must ask mother first."
"Yes, but suppose she doesn't refuse me?"—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

He who lives well is the best preacher.—Cervantes.

IT PAYS YOU TO
TRADE AT
THIS STORE

Grahams

SMALL PROFITS
AND QUICK CASH
SALES PLEASE US

Dept. Store. "All Sorts of Things"

Summer Goods at Deeply Cut Prices for SATURDAY

A new shipment of the newest styles of Ladies' Tissue and Zephyr fancy dresses, very pretty and desirable, worth from \$5.00 to \$6.00, on sale.....\$2.48
Fancy Sport and newest style summer Hats worth from 69c to \$1.48, all at one price.....49c
Tropical Panama Hats, very becoming and neat, sold at 49c to 69c, go at one price.....25c
Misses and Children's fancy Straw Hats, which sold at 25c to 35c, all at one price.....10c
Remnants of Embroidery in good yard lengths, very cheap at per Remnant.....10c
Misses Fine Fancy Parasols, worth 49c, go at.....25c
Newest Coloring in wide Eancy Ribbons, per yard....10and 20c
Large Porch Rugs in fine colorings, worth \$2.00.....\$1.48

MEN'S AND BOYS' SPECIAL FURNISHINGS.

Men's Athletic Knit Union Suits.....35c
Men's Athletic Nainsook Cloth Union Suits.....49c
Men's good heavy Suspenders.....25c
Men's Straw Hats, special.....10c to 25c
Men's Fancy Wash Ties, special.....10c
Men's Dress Hose, assorted colors.....10c
Men's Good Work Shirts.....45c
Boys' Soft Shirts and Blouses.....25c
Boys' Cool Straw Hats.....10c
Boys' Suspenders.....10c

HOUSEHOLD NECESSITIES.

2 boxes Matches.....5c
3 bars good Laundry Soap.....10c
3 double sheets Tanglefoot Fly Paper.....5c
Fly Traps.....10c
Fly Poison Boxes.....10c
Wire Clothes Lines.....10c
Gasoline Toasters.....10c
Market Basket.....5c
Lunch Baskets.....10c
Towel Rollers.....10c

HOT WEATHER NEEDFULS.

Large Ice Tea Glasses.....5c
Common Glasses.....2 for 5c
Cool Earthen Pitchers.....10c
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Table Knives, each.....5c
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Glass Sherbet Cups.....5c
Night Lamp Chimneys.....5c
Graduated Quart Cups.....10c
Ice Picks.....10c
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Sweet Candy Kisses, per lb.....10c
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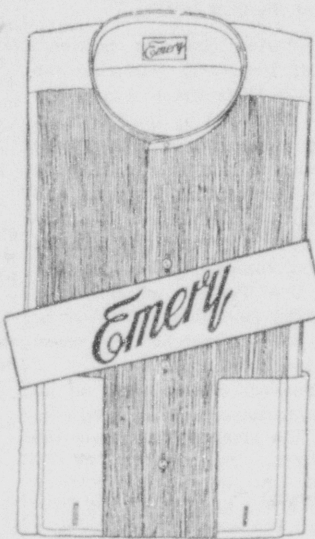
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These shirts are made with Soft or Laundered cuffs, plain or sport collars.

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For Bethany Visitors.

Mrs. W. C. Van Cleve entertained a few friends informally at her home on West Fourth street last night in honor of Mrs. Willis Burton and Miss Ibez Zerbe of Bethany, who are her guests.

Call Meeting

Twentieth Century Club.

A call meeting of the executive board of the Twentieth Century club will be held at the rest rooms of the courthouse at 1 o'clock Friday afternoon. The purpose of the meeting is to vote on the names of new members, to discuss department work and to make arrangements for the ice cream social which is to be held soon.

For Miss Whiting.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Bellows entertained informally at Parkdale, their country home, last night in honor of Miss Jessie Whiting of Evanston, Ill. They were assisted by Miss Carrie Margaret Baker and Miss Mildred Bellows. The out-of-town guests were: Miss Whiting, Miss Marie Wooley of Kansas City, Misses Mary and Margaret Foster of Des Moines, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wilson and Edwin Caldwell of Burlington Junction.

Mrs. Craig, Hostess

Penelope Club Meeting.

Mrs. Gallatin Craig was hostess to the members of the Penelope club which met at her home on East Fourth street yesterday afternoon, and the meeting was termed by a member as "one of the most enjoyable of the year." Nineteen members and eight visitors enjoyed a social afternoon and the luncheon that was served by the hostess, assisted by her daughter, Miss

Laura Craig, and Misses Marguerite Cummins, Mary and Margaret Foster and Mattie Price.

The visitors were: Mrs. Will Burris, Mrs. W. L. Madden of Grand Island, Neb., Mrs. T. A. Cummins, Mrs. Lee Carpenter, Mrs. Lieber Holmes, Mrs. Lefe Johnson, Mrs. Will Garrett and Miss Mattie Price.

Mrs. Harris Entertains

Bridge and Dominoes, Games.

One hundred and forty guests were invited to the parties given by Mrs. Berney Harris at her home on South Main street yesterday afternoon and evening. In the afternoon the domino game prize was won by Miss Glen Hotchkiss of Kenney, Minn., who is the guest of Miss Dale Hoffman. The other out-of-town guest was Miss Ethel Thomas of Springfield, who is the guest of Miss Willa May Mitchell at the Osburn home. Mrs. Harris was assisted by Mrs. W. O. Garrett, Mrs. N. C. Covey, Misses Gertrude Garrett, Lois Dearworth and Little Betty Harris.

In the evening bridge was the diversion and Miss Lenore Schumacher was the recipient of the game prize. The assistants at this function were: Mrs. M. Nussbaum, Mrs. N. C. Covey and Jamie Covey and Joe Harris. Garden flowers were used in decoration and the refreshments were in pink and white.

Unique Garden Party

For Miss Helen Hudson, Norfolk.

A very beautiful and unique garden party was given this morning from 8:30 to 10:30 in honor of Miss Helen Hudson of Norfolk, Neb., by Miss Mary Louise Andrews and Miss Mary Louise Rowlett on the Kurtz lawn, adjoining the home of Miss Rowlett.

The guests were directed to the north summer house by Master John Kurtz, where iced drinks were served and where each donned a paper cap. When the breakfast gong sounded they all marched to the south summer house, where cards marked the places of the following guests: Miss Helen Hudson, Miss Elfreda Linville, Miss Mildred Bellows, Misses Mary and

Lillian Carpenter, Miss Marie Wright, Miss Mable Curnutt, Miss Leona Pierpoint, Miss Laura Curfman and Miss Georgia Evans.

The summer house was decorated with holly hocks, asparagus and grape vines. The color scheme of pink and white was carried out in the appointments of the table. After a four-course breakfast was served the guests assembled again in the north summer house, where in a guessing contest, "A Flower Romance," Miss Mary Carpenter was the successful contestant.

The hostesses were assisted by Mrs. E. L. Andrews, Mrs. H. S. Rowlett, Mrs. Fred Kurtz and Mrs. G. W. Hempstead.

Mrs. Neidel Entertains

Herron Homemaking Circle.

Mrs. R. Neidel entertained the Herron Homemaking Circle Wednesday afternoon at her home northwest of the city. An hour was given to sewing, after which luncheon was served. A program was given by Mrs. Howe Cockayne, Mrs. Walter Taylor and Mrs. J. C. F. Taylor. Several talks and discussions were given on the topic, "Can a Woman Be a Money Maker and a Successful Wife and Mother?" Those present were: Mrs. Virgil Guthrie, Mrs. Henry Moore, Mrs. Lewis Rogers, Mrs. J. N. Manley, Mrs. Nellie Manley, Mrs. Ernest McDowell, Mrs. Ed Vulgamott, Mrs. Lewis White, Mrs. John

Taylor, Mrs. Sam Fisher, Mrs. Albert Appleby, Mrs. Ed Tebow, Mrs. Howe Cockayne, Mrs. Walter Taylor, Mrs. Alph Cockayne, Mrs. Ernest Willhoite, Mrs. Chance Evans, Mrs. Ed Gingrich, Mrs. Will Hefflin, Mrs. Will Osborne, Grace Fisher, Vida Wilson, Mary Taylor, Nellie Fisher, Esther Neidel, Vella Booth. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Albert Appleby July 26.

Surprise for Mr. Thompson.

Mrs. Andy Thompson gave a birthday surprise party for her husband at her home on South Buchanan street last night. Games and music whiled away the evening hours, during which luncheon was served by the hostess. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Dan Gallagher, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Meyer and sons Daniel and Leo, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mercer and their son Ralph, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Converse and their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Eckles and their daughter Ora, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Epperson and their daughter Mary Dove, Miss Mary Herwick and Dave Seckington.

Earnest Workers Meet.

The Earnest Workers class of the Wilcox Methodist church was very pleasantly entertained last Saturday night, July 8, at the beautiful home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Stafford. After the usual business meeting, music and various games formed the amusement for the evening. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served. The host and hostess were assisted in entertaining by Misses Crystal Everhart and Mildred Stafford. Those present were Edna Garrett, Violet Jensen, Cleo Mitchell, Sorenus Jensen, Willie Garrett, Eva Mae Ralston, Don Hall Josephine Jensen, Dave Zeornes, Donald Piper, Beryl Mitchell, Eugene Hall, Viva Lockhart, Nettie Jensen, Gus Shell, Robert Adams, Crystal Everhart, Mae Mitchell, Mildred Stafford, Rev. George T. Ralston and the host and hostess.

Bridge Party at Mrs. R. W. Eversole's.

Mrs. Ralph Eversole entertained at bridge this morning at her home on South Buchanan street in honor of Miss Jessie Whiting of Evanston, Ill. The game prize was won by Mrs. Will Wallis, Jr., and Miss Whiting received the guest prize. The other out-of-town guests were: Miss Althea Lytle of St. Louis and Miss Margaret Chilton of St. Louis.

Tebows, Hosts.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Tebow entertained at their country home, east of Maryville, at Sunday dinner, the following relatives: Mr. and Mrs. Charles Tebow and daughter Helen and son Harold, Mr. and Mrs. I. E. Tebow and daughters Esther and Mary Ruth and son Robert, and Grace and Mildred Tebow.

Mrs. Seafers, Prize Winner.

Dominoes was the form of amusement used by the members of the I. X. L. Embroidery Club, which met at the home of Mrs. I. W. Nixon on South Saunders street yesterday afternoon. Mrs. Preson Seafers won the game prize and Mrs. Cooper Gooden received the consolation prize. Besides the twenty-four members of the club who were present the other guests were: Mrs. D. A. Cook and Mrs. T. K. Wray. Refreshments were served by the hostess assisted by her daughter, Miss Blanche Nixon.

MRS. O. W. CHRIS DIES

Burial was in Dunkard Cemetery—Lived Northwest of Parnell.

Carrie May Grimmitt was born in Nodaway county, Mo., Sept. 15, 1882, and died at her home northwest of Parnell, Mo., July 7, 1916, aged 33 years, 9 months and 22 days.

She was married to O. W. Criss on the twenty-seventh day of May, 1902. To this union were born seven children—Orville, Howard, Opal and Viola and infant daughter. Two boys died at birth.

Mrs. Criss was a member of the Christian church at Gaynor. Funeral services were conducted at the Dunkard church Saturday, July 8, at 3 p. m., by W. E. Tinney, pastor of the Methodist church of Parnell. Interment in the Dunkard cemetery—Parnell Sentinel.

Bound to Rise.

"He is one of the most stupid bodes I ever met."
"And yet he seems to have accumulated money. Fortune appears to have knocked at his door."
"I don't believe she merely knocked; she must have broken right in."—Brooklyn Citizen.

No Cause for Complaint.

"Oh, my tooth aches dreadfully! I don't see why we can't be born with out teeth."
"I think, my dear, that if you will look up some authority on that point you will find that most of us are."—London Telegraph.

A Real Wonder.

Aladdin was exhibiting his wonderful lamp.
"It's an auto lamp," he explained, "that won't go out just as a traffic cop heaves in sight."—Pittsburgh Post.

Alderman-Yehle Dry Goods Co.

WEST THIRD STREET, MARYVILLE, MO.

First Week of July Clearance Sale

SATURDAY night will end the first week of our Twentieth Annual July Clearance Sale. We are offering unusual bargains in every department and will continue to do so throughout this week and next. If you have not taken advantage of the money-saving values in this sale it will pay you to do so before the sale closes.

Great Saving on Piece Goods

Note some of the unusual values we are offering during Clearance Sale

SKIRTING STRIPES

Beautiful assortment of sport stripes for Wash Skirts—just the thing for the new style Skirts. Black, blue, green and pink stripes, 35c quality, Clearance Price 23c

DAINTY VOILE

36-inch and 40 inch voile in plain, striped, figured and checked, assorted colors, just the thing for the new Summer Dresses, 35c values, Clearance Price 23c

WASH GOODS

Assorted lot of voile and organdy, plain, figured and striped, beautiful quality, values to 60c, Clearance Sale, the yard 39c
One lot of Ratine, Crepe, Linene, Lawn, Batiste and Cotton Suiting, assorted colors, worth to 75c, special at, the yard 10c

TISSUE GINGHAMS

Assorted lot of Egyptian tissue, variety of new patterns and colorings, 25c quality, Clearance Sale Price 19c

BATISTE

Large assortment of batiste in various colors and patterns, good quality, special, at the yard 12½c

Every other item in our wash goods department will carry a reduction during the July Clearance Sale. The following will carry interesting reductions:

Poplins, Linaires, India Linons, White Goods, Nainsooks, Longcloths, Dimity, Linen, Voile and all fancy white goods and wash goods.

SILKOLINE

15c grade 12c
12½c grade 10c

All Wool Dress Goods at Greatly Reduced Prices During The Clearance Sale.

UNION SUITS

Ladies' Union Suits, light weight, tight knee, sleeveless, low neck, fine quality, Clearance Price, 75c grade, 50c 50c grade, 39c

GAUZE VESTS

One lot of Ladies' Gauze Vests, bleached, good quality, Clearance Sale Price, 4

two for 15c
All other knitted underwear including the famous Munsingwear will be offered at a reduction.

SILK HOSE

Our entire line of Wayne Knit, Topsy, Gordon and Kayser Silk Hose reduced as follows:

\$2.00 grade for \$1.75
\$1.75 grade for \$1.55
\$1.50 grade for \$1.35
\$1.25 grade for \$1.10
\$1.00 grade for90
.50 grade for45

All men's half hose, children's hose and ladies' cotton and lisle hose at a reduction.

SILKS.

Fancy and plain taffeta, 36 inches wide, and crepe de chine and crepe meteor, 40 inches wide, assorted colors, reduced as follows:

\$2.50 grade for \$2.25
\$2.00 grade for \$1.75
\$1.75 grade for \$1.55
\$1.50 grade for \$1.30
\$1.25 grade for \$1.10
Messaline silk, 27 inches wide, colored, regular 85c quality, Clearance Sale Price 69c

BLACK TAFFETA

We have two extra qualities in 36-inch Black Taffeta Silk on sale as follows:
\$1.85 quality for \$1.69
\$1.50 quality for \$1.35

GINGHAMS and PERCALES

18c grade 15c
15c grade 12½c
12½c grade 10c
10c grade 9c

Calico, during the Clearing Sale, the yard 5c

MUSLIN UNDERWEAR

Many attractive values will be offered in Muslin Underwear during the clearing sale. See these special offerings.

SHEETING

One special lot of 9-4 Panther Bleached Sheeting special at, yard, 25c

All other sheetings, tubings, sheets, pillow cases, etc., will carry a reduction.

MUSLINS

Lonsdale, 36-inch, bleached, 9c
Hope, 36-inch, bleached, 8c
Good 36-inch bleached, 7c
Pepperell R, unbleached, 8c
Indian Head, unbleached, 9½c
All other muslins at a reduction during the clearing sale.

Instant Bunion Relief

Guaranteed — or Not a Cent's Charge

You need not suffer bunion torture an hour longer. No matter how large or painful your bunions may be—or how often or by whom treated and pronounced "incurable"—here at least is convincing proof that there is positive relief for you—right now—today.

"Bunion Comfort"

Is Guaranteed to Give Instant Relief

and positively cure the most stubborn bunions. You'll have peace and comfort as soon as you apply one. The pain and inflammation disappear like magic. You can really enjoy walking once more. Ladies can wear their natural, small size shoes without discomfort—don't cut holes in your shoes and use old fashioned cotton or felt wads, washers and steel contraptions. "Bunion Comfort" is the common sense logical remedy for bunions. It absorbs and draws out the inflammation, softens and dissolves the accumulated layers of cartilage which really make the bunion, thus reducing the enlargement and restoring the deformed foot to its healthy normal size.

Get a Box of "Bunion Comfort" Today! Do not declare this to be the most marvelous bunion remedy you've ever tried—return the other toe plaster and get your money back.

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Lay the foundation of your fortune by opening a savings account today. Deposits of one dollar and upwards received in our savings department.

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CASH GROCERY

D. R. Eversole & Son

Call Your Attention to the Many Items
that are Now Reduced in Price
During Our Clearance Sale

Ready-to-Wear Department

Silk waists greatly reduced. \$1.00 lingerie
waists now75c
One lot \$1.00 waists for each50c
House dresses, values up to \$2.00 for98c
Silk dresses, values \$10.00 to \$25.00 for\$4.98
Summer dresses of all kinds greatly reduced.
Dresses worth \$5.00 and \$6.00 for\$1.98
Children's rompers, 50c values for35c
All other qualities half price.

Embroideries and Laces

A large assortment of embroideries and laces
now at HALF PRICE.

Underwear is greatly reduced.

Special values in hosiery you cannot afford
to pass.

Silk Gloves

Gloves in 16-button lengths are now greatly
reduced. Our stock is large and we want
to reduce it at once.

\$2.00 values\$1.50
\$1.50 values\$1.15
\$1.00 values75c
50c Chamoisette Gloves... 35c

D. R. Eversole & Son

MARKET REPORTS

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Grain Market Futures.
Special to The Democrat-Forum.
Kansas City, July 13.—WHEAT—
June, \$1.04; Sept., \$1.05½.
CORN—June, 75½c; Sept., 71½c.

Kansas City Live Stock.
Special to The Democrat-Forum.
Kansas City, July 13.—CATTLE—
Receipts, 2,000; market lower; steers,
\$8@9.65; cows, \$4@9.60.

HOGS—Receipts, 7,000; market 10c
higher; top, \$10.25; estimate tomor-
row, 14,000.

SHEEP—Receipts, 2,000; market
19c higher.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, July 13.—CATTLE—Re-
ceipts, 3,500; market steady; estimate
tomorrow, 1,500.

HOGS—Receipts, 17,000; market 10c
higher; top, \$10.25; estimate tomor-
row, 14,000.

SHEEP—Receipts, 5,000; market 10c
higher.

St. Joseph Live Stock.

St. Joseph, July 13.—CATTLE—Re-
ceipts, 1,100; market steady.

HOGS—Receipts, 7,000; market 5c
higher; top, \$10.

SHEEP—Receipts, 4,500; market
steady.

AUDITOR JOHN P. GORDON HERE

State Official Campaigning for Nom-
ination for Re-election.

John P. Gordon, state auditor of
Missouri, was in Maryville today in
the interest of his candidacy for the
Democratic nomination for state audi-
tor. He is seeking re-election for a
third term.

Campers to Return.

Orlo Quinn, Halley Ford and Harry
Kissinger, who have been on a camp-
ing trip on the Platte river between
Ravenwood and Parnell, are expected
home tomorrow. The boys have had
excellent luck fishing, having landed
one that weighed ten pounds during
their stay.

ELECTING A PRESIDENT



GRANT.

War Hero
Elected
President
in
1868.

LINCOLN, having been assassi-
nated, was succeeded in
office by Andrew Johnson,
who was vice president. The
war had ended. Grant had re-
turned a hero. The Republicans
nominated the general, while
the Democrats put forward Ho-
ratio Seymour of New York.
The election of 1872 was an
exciting one. Horace Greeley,
formerly a Republican, had dis-
agreed with his party and ran
on the Democratic ticket and
the Liberal Republican ticket.
Grant was again the Republican
nominee. There were four other
minor candidates. Grant re-
ceived 2,597,070 votes and Gree-
ley 2,534,079.

(Watch for the election of Hayes
in 1876 in our next issue.)

Hay Forks

Specials for Saturday

4 or 5 foot handle, four tine hay
forks, best quality, grade A-1
handle. Sells regularly at 75c

Special
Saturday 50c

Garrett Hardware Company

You're Welcome

To use MY KODAKS. If you have a Kodak, You'll find it
profitable to buy you films at the Bee Hive Shoe Store.

J. E. Carpenter

The Specialist

OBITUARY OF PERRY C. MILLER.

One of the saddest events we have
been called upon to record is the
death of Perry C. Miller, which oc-
curred at the sisters hospital of St. Jo-
seph on Thursday, July 6, 1916, at 8:40
a. m. after an operation for ulcer of
the stomach and bowels by Dr. Carrol
Potter and Dr. Eugene Miller, a cousin
of the deceased. They were assisted
by three other doctors, including Dr.
W. W. Best of Bolckow, but as periton-
itis had set in there was no hope,
and he lived only two days after the
operation, dying at 11 o'clock Monday
night.

He was the only son of Mr. and Mrs.
Sam Miller and was born at Burling-
ton Junction December 29, 1891. He
was united in marriage to Miss Flossie
Irene Goff of Barnard December 21,
1912, and to this union was born one
son, Dean Goff.

He was converted and united with
the Christian church at Bethany, west
of Barnard, under Rev. Wood in the
winter of 1910. Hence he has lived a
true and devoted Christian till the
Lord called him home.

He was a member of the Modern
Woodmen of Barnard, also the Mystic
Workers of Bolckow, and the North
American Order. He was loved by the
members of those orders and the M.
W. A. s were true blue to him in every
respect as they were with him from
the beginning to end. He leaves to
mourn his death a wife, son, father,
mother and four sisters, who are Misses
Lulu, Nettie, Dora Edith and Fay, also
two who await him in that better land,
Laura and Gladys. He also leaves a
world of friends to mourn his loss and
death.

The funeral services were held at
Bethany Sunday, July 9, at 3 o'clock
p. m., by Rev. W. A. Chapman and Rev.
J. I. Orison of St. Joseph. The re-
mains were laid to rest in the Beth-
any cemetery. The bereaved wife, son,
father, mother and sisters share the
sympathy of the entire community.

Those who attended the funeral of
Perry C. Miller from a distance were:
Mrs. Susan McClain and daughters
of Skidmore, Joe Gibler of Princeton,
R. L. Houghtaling of Bedford, Mr. and
Mrs. Charles McCoppin of Maryville,
Don and Perry Houghtaling, Mr. and
Mrs. Cleve Goff and son, Mr. and Mrs.
Cleve Moyer, Mr. and Mrs. Ruben

Young, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Mercer,
Mr. and Mrs. Walker Oglesby and fam-
ily, May, Ed and Wes Howland, Miss
Verna Kennedy, Marvel Brown, Ella
and Will O'Grady, Charlie Hasty, all
of Maryville, Mo., and H. N. Kennedy
and family of Cawood.

ADVERTISED LETTERS.

Following is a list of the letters re-
maining unclaimed in the Maryville,
Mo., postoffice for the week ending
Wednesday, July 12, 1916.

Men.

Barker, C. S. (2)
Booth, O. W.
Clemens, John (Return to Writer).
Greathouse, Clayton.
Jordan, Isaac N.
Walker, A. E.
West, Bob.
Wiseman, J. W.

Women.

Colyar, Mrs. E. J.
Coleman, Mrs. A. J.
Fitzpatrick, Mrs. Ed.
George, Miss Edith.
Hoffin, Mrs. Miranda.
Hutton, Mrs. Cordia.
Lant, Mrs. H. E.
Lorance, Miss Ruby (2)
Vincent, Miss Lydia.

Persons calling for the above named
letters will please say "advertised."

JAMES TODD, Postmaster.

SOLD \$3,500; BULL FOR BEEF

Barber & Sons Send Shorthorn Which
Was Injured to St. Joseph
Market.

Barber & Sons, large stockmen and
farmers at Skidmore, sold a pure bred
registered Shorthorn bull weighing
around 2300 pounds at \$7.50 a cwt. The
bull was purchased three years ago for
\$3,500. He was injured some time ago
and since has been useless at the head
of a large herd of Shorthorn cows
owned by Barber & Sons.—St. Joseph
Stock Yards Journal.

Chamberlains Move.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Chamberlain
have moved from 715 East First street
to 418 South Main street.

Mrs. Fred Clark of Sava...ah spent
the day yesterday as the guest of Mr.
and Mrs. J. S. Clark and family.

CHAINED TO A ROCK

How the Turks Once Imprisoned
a Greek Battleship.

DARING OF A YOUNG OFFICER.

His Pluck and Strategy Resulted in
Making the Powerful Enemy Vessel
Lie Helpless Within the Landlocked
Waters of the Gulf of Arta.

It was during the war between
Greece and Turkey in 1897 that the
inhabitants of Gala Krini—a large vil-
lage, since destroyed by the Turks, on
the shores of the gulf of Arta—awoke
one morning to find that a Hellenic
battleship had entered the gulf and
cast anchor off the shore. The sur-
prise of the inhabitants of Gala Krini
was nothing compared with that of a
party of five Turkish officers, who,
from the very crest of a hill towering
above the village, watched the vessel
through their telescopes.

These Turkish officers were on an
urgent and important mission—to
block out the Hellenic fleet from the
gulf of Arta. Behind them, at the
bottom of the deep ravine, were a
number of heavy guns which had been
dragged all the way from Saloniki, a
long and difficult task, and with this
artillery they had been ordered to for-
tify the strait.

To reach the strait, however, the
Turkish column had to run the gauntlet
of the battleship's heavy guns, which
meant sheer destruction. Somehow or
other they must escape the man-of-
war or prevent her interference with
their work, but to do this seemed im-
possible.

In the midst of their discussion a
young officer who had been listening
said he could hold the vessel a pris-
oner if they would allow him. His plead-
ing won, and, hurriedly changing his
clothes for those of a shepherd, he de-
scended in that disguise to Gala Krini.

Late that night a number of figures
stole through the dark alleys of the vil-
lage toward the shore. Close to the
water's edge was an old bathhouse,
used as a shed for repairing boats.
This the party silently entered and by
the flickering light of a taper searched
the black interior. At length there was
a gentle rattle and from the gloom
emerged Hassan, stripped to the waist,
dragging a heavy chain. This, with the
help of his comrades, he began to pull,
and after an hour's laborious work the
end of the great chain—once the cable
of a Turkish vessel—was reached.

From the beach the chain was loaded
on board a large calque, whose sides
and floor had been covered with cloth
to deaden the sound. This task accom-
plished, three men got in with Hassan
and rowed with muffled oars toward a
large rock in the middle of the light.
Round this rock the chain was laid and
securely fastened. One man having
been landed on the crag to keep guard
over this end, the boat set out cautious-
ly for the battleship, looming like a
phantom in the distance. Not a sound
did the men make as link by link the
massive chain was paid out over the
stern into the still water till they re-
ached the vessel.

There was an excited gleam in Has-
san's eyes as, with a sign to his com-
rades, he gradually lowered himself
into the dark water, guiding himself by
passing his fingers over the battleship's
plates. A slight grating of the chain
against the hull was all that his anxious
companions in the boat heard, though
now and then a reassuring pull was
felt on the line that Hassan held, di-
recting them how to pay out the chain.
Hours rather than minutes seemed to
have gone by ere the young officer came
to the surface. So exhausted by his
long dive was he that he had to be
almost lifted into the boat.

"It is round the propeller," he gasped.
"I have fixed it so that nothing can
move it. Back you go."
Then link by link the tedious work
was renewed until the boat returned to
its starting point, where the other
end of the chain was secured. The
risky task was done, and the Hellenic
battleship was securely moored to an
immovable rock by a double thickness
of cable.

The early rays of dawn revealed a
sight which astonished the Greek com-
mander. A whole regiment of Turks
were on the march toward the strait
of Arta, with train after train of artil-
lery, the last of which disappeared be-
hind the intervening head before the
ship's guns could be brought to bear
on them. The commander gave orders
for the guns to be run out and decks
cleared for action, while the anchor
was weighed, his intention being to
prevent the Turks from fortifying the
strait before they had become too
strong. "Full speed ahead!" went the
order to the engine room, and, pro-
pelled by her mighty screw, the bat-
tleship advanced, only to lurch back-
ward as if dragged by some unseen
force. Work as the engines would,
the vessel seemed to be in an enchant-
ed circle, beyond which it was impos-
sible to go.

It was not until the sun's rays had
penetrated the deep blue water along
side that the secret was revealed and
the massive chain was discovered pass-
ing round the ship's propeller and the
adjacent rock.

Before it could be removed, how-
ever, the strait had been sufficiently
fortified by the Turks and a power-
ful Greek warship lay a helpless pris-
oner within the landlocked waters of
Arta.

Kindness is a language the dumb
can speak and the deaf can hear and
understand.—Bovee.

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will be inserted in this column for one-half
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der. Ads should be in by twelve o'clock to
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QUICK and efficient service is re-
quired for first class work. Our ser-
vice gives this to you. Standard
Plumbing Co.

FOR new or old work see me for
special prices. Ryks Plumbing Co.,
South Side Square. Hanamo 270.

CAR of oats on track this week, 44c.
Also a car of corn. Yowell & Son.
12-14

EXCHANGED at Myrtle Tree last
Sunday, blue serge coat. Please re-
turn mine and get yours. Arthur A.
Wiley. 13-15*

BUG FINISH will kill any worm
that eats leaves and plants. Guarant-
teed absolutely safe and only 5c a
pound. R. S. Braniger. 12-17

Lost.

LOST—Man's coat Saturday between
Maryville and Oak Hill church. No-
tify this office or D. D. Marsh. 11-13

LOST—Front off auto headlight.
Finder return same to Price & Mc-
Neal. 12-14

LOST—July 5, package containing
pair brown cloth trousers, black belt
and two keys to Ford car between my
place and Sam Icke's. Notify J. M.
Henderson, Route 3, Barnard. 11-13

For Sale.

FORD ROADSTER, excellent condi-
tion, with special equipment, for sale.
Equipped for road work. M. J. Al-
derman. 12-15*

FOR SALE—One J. I. C. threshing
outfit, complete. L. M. Hayes, half
mile southeast of Maryville. 12-15

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acres timothy. Far. 129. Jonathan
Stark. 11-13*

FOR SALE OR RENT—House, 8
large rooms, now empty; fruit, pa-
ture; also driving team, one or both.
J. T. Hays, Hanamo phone 575.

PIANO FOR SALE—Baby Grand.
Geo. Steck, perfect condition, same as
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very best you can save \$150. Address
844, Democrat-Forum. 11-13

FOR SALE—First class family
horse, good phaeton, good harness.
Will sell cheap to right party. R. S.
Braniger, the Seedy Man. 10-14

FOR SALE OR RENT—Modern cot-
tage on corner 5 blocks from square;
cheap if sold by August 10, vacant at
that time. Call 210-11 Farmers phone
or 123 S. Mulberry st. 12-14

FOR SALE—Secondhand mowing
machine, in good shape. Call H. Cun-
ningham, Hanamo 4539. 12-14

FOR SALE—The Linneman prop-
erty on E. 7th st., easy terms. Call
Farmers' phone 92. 12-18*

For Rent.

FOR RENT July 1—7 large rooms,
¼ block, barn, cellar, \$15; 7 rooms,
modern, \$16; 6 rooms, modern save
bath, new, \$15. Chas. Hyslop. 22tf

FOR RENT—A suite of modern
rooms, furnished for light housekeep-
ing, or room and board. Mrs. Wm.
Armstrong, Hanamo 3625. 404 E. 1st.
6tf

FOR RENT—Modern furnished house
after August 4. Call Mrs. A. W. Haw-
kins, 423 W. 9th. 13-15

Wanted.

WANTED—Jewelry repairing of all
kinds. Holmes Jewelry Co. 20tf.

WANTED—Experienced girl wants
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13-15*

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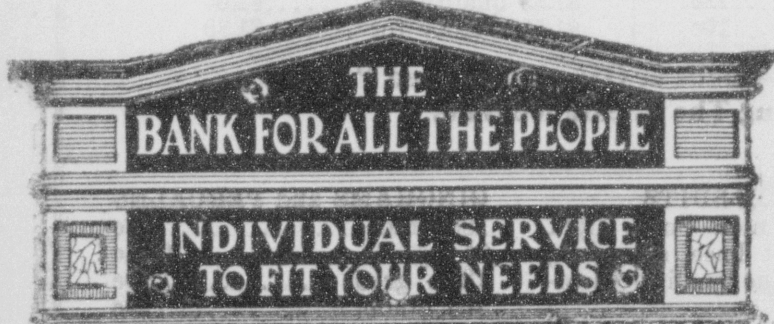
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Leeper of Graham were city visitors
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